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Xavier University Field House
June Seventh, Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-Nine
Seven-Forty-Five P.M.

Commencement Exercises

PROCESSIONAL

COMMENCEMENT PROCESSION

- (a) Candidates for Certificates
 - (b) Candidates for Diplomas
 - (c) Candidates for Degrees
 - (d) Faculties of the University
 - (e) Guests
 - (f) Candidate for Honorary Degree
 - (g) The President
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THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

Audience will kindly rise and sing

O say, can you see, by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous fight
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming!
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there:
O say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

INVOCATION

RIGHT REVEREND MONSIGNOR FRANCIS A. REARDON, PH.D.,
Pastor, St. William Church, Cincinnati, Ohio

VALEDICTORY

WILLIAM JOSEPH RIELLY, JR., '39

ANNOUNCEMENT OF PRIZES AND HONORS

ANNOUNCEMENT OF PRIZES AND HONORS IN THE EVENING DIVISION

BY THE DEAN OF THE EVENING DIVISION OF ARTS, COMMERCE AND FINANCE
THE REVEREND JOHN C. MALLOY, S.J.

The English Prize—IN MEMORY OF PETER J. O'DONNELL, PH.D.—CHARLES HUGHES
The Kappa Sigma Mu Accounting Award—RICHARD E. GRACE
The Philosophy Prize—IN HONOR OF WILLIAM T. BURNS, LL.D., '36—MARTHA GNAU
The Kappa Sigma Mu Membership Award—ALMA R. CUNNINGHAM
The J. D. Cloud Accounting Prize—WILLIAM A. KILEY
The Kappa Sigma Mu Academic Award—JOHN H. BUSSE

ANNOUNCEMENT OF PRIZES AND HONORS IN THE COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

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The Alumni Oratorical Medal—PHILIP KEVIN HARRIGAN, '42
Verkamp Debate Medal—WILLIAM JOSEPH RIELLY, JR., '39
The Alumnae English Medal—JEROME MARCELLUS GRAHAM, '40
The Ragland Latin Medal—FOUNDED BY MR. HOWARD N. RAGLAND, '04
ELMER JOSEPH GRUBER, '40
The David Snyder Religion Medal—FOUNDED BY MR. AND MRS. JOHN W. SNYDER
WILLIAM JOSEPH RIELLY, JR., '39

Junior Philosophy Medal—FOUNDED BY MARTIN G. DUMLER, LL.D., '27
JOHN WALTER WOESTMAN, '40

French Medal—GIFT OF MRS. FREDERICK WALLIS HINKLE, LL.D., '24
JOHN PAUL GEERS, '39

Spanish Medal—JOSEPH ALOYSIUS GLADSTONE, '40

German Prize—GIFT OF THE GERMANISTIC SOCIETY OF CINCINNATI
THOMAS EDWARD MURRAY, '39

Biology Key—JOSEPH M. AYLWARD, '39

The Colonel Charles F. Williams Military Scholarship Award
FREDERICK GEORGE KONERSMAN, JR., '40

Carl Schurz Memorial Foundation Prize (Philadelphia, Pa.)
ALOYSIUS JOSEPH MENKE, '41

The Reverend John P. McNichols, S.J., Trophy for Intramural Debates
JACK ARTHUR JONES, '39

AWARDING OF CERTIFICATES AND DIPLOMAS AND CONFERRING OF DEGREES BY THE PRESIDENT

CANDIDATES FOR CERTIFICATES, DIPLOMAS, AND DEGREES IN THE DOWNTOWN COLLEGE
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Karl H. Rogers

Remarks... *The President, The Very Reverend Dennis F. Burns, S.J., A.M., Ph.D., S.T.D.*

Commencement Address... *Karl H. Rogers, Narberth, Pa.*

COLLEGE SONG, XAVIER FOR AYE!

Alma Mater Song

Juettner-Bellstedt

Audience will kindly rise and sing

Sing a song, and sing it loud and long,
Let it be our pledge today;
Our Alma Mater, proud and strong—
Old Xavier for aye!

Sing a song, and sing it loud and long,
Let it be our pledge today;
Our Alma Mater, proud and strong—
Old Xavier for aye!

RECESSIONAL

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